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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Masakazu FURUKAWA et al.

Attention : Box 16 - Refunds

Appl. No.: 09/462,067
(National Stage of PCT/JP99/03086)

Examiner: S. Paik

U.S. Appl. Filed: January 5, 2000
(I. A. Filed: June 9, 1999)

For: CERAMIC HEATER AND METHOD OF PRODUCING THE SAME AND
ELECTRICALLY CONDUCTIVE PASTE FOR HEATING BODY

REQUEST FOR REFUND

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, DC 20231

Sir :

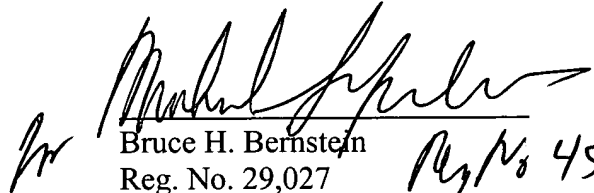
Applicants respectfully request a refund in the amount of \$84.00 that was charged to our Deposit Account No. 19-0089 on October 11, 2001 in connection with the filing of the amendment on October 2, 2001.

The basis of this Request for Refund is that the account was charged for independent claims in excess of 3 upon filing the amendment on October 2, 2001. Applicants note that while our transmittal sheet indicates that there are 5 independent claims after the amendment filed on October 2, 2001, Applicants have previously paid for 6 independent claims, which is also indicated on the transmittal sheet. For your convenience, a copy of our transmittal sheet is attached.

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Please make payment of the refund to Deposit Account No. 19-0089.

Respectfully submitted,
Masakazu FURUKAWA, et al.


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THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment under 37 C.F.R. 1.111 in the above-captioned application.

- ☐ Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously filed.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- ☒ A Request for Extension of Time.
- ☐ No Additional Fee.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

Claims After Amendment	No. Claims Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Small Entity		Other Than A Small Entity	
			Rate	Fee	Rate	Fee
Total Claims: 24	*24	0	x 9=	\$	x 18=	\$0.00
Indep. Claims: 5	**6	0	x 42=	\$	x 84=	\$0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims Presented			140=	\$	+280=	\$0.00
Extension Fees for Two Months				\$		\$400.00
Total:				\$	Total:	\$400.00

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**If less than 3, write 3

- ☐ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 19-0089 in the amount of \$_____.
- ☒ A Check in the amount of \$400.00 to cover the extension fee is included.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-0089.
- ☒ Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.
- ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17, including any required extension of time fees in any concurrent or future reply requiring a petition for extension of time for its timely submission (37 CFR 1.136)(a)(3).

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